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House Resolution 2353

By: Representative Hatfield of the 177<sup>th</sup>

## A RESOLUTION

- 1 Remembering and honoring the life of Jimmy McDonald; and for other purposes.
- 2 WHEREAS, Jimmy McDonald was born in Waycross, Georgia, on August 29, 1929, the
- 3 beloved son of John McDonald and Mary Beecher McDonald, and was a lifelong resident
- 4 of Waycross until his passing at the age of 76; and
- 5 WHEREAS, he graduated in 1946 from Waycross High School; and
- 6 WHEREAS, Mr. McDonald retired from Georgia Natural Gas following 43 years of
- 7 dedicated and extraordinary service; and
- 8 WHEREAS, he served the citizens of this country honorably as a member of the United
- 9 States Army; and
- 10 WHEREAS, he was a faithful and devoted member of the First United Methodist Church
- where he was a member of the Men's Bible class and the United Methodist Men; and
- 12 WHEREAS, he was an avid fisherman and hunter and loved life and the people around him;
- 13 and
- 14 WHEREAS, Jimmy McDonald is survived by his loving and devoted wife, Marie Moore
- 15 McDonald, and their three daughters, Rhonda Clement, Newanna Rogers, and Melanie
- 16 Clemons, and three grandchildren, Crystal Minchew, Logan Clemons, and Avery Clemons;
- 17 and
- 18 WHEREAS, this country lost one of its finest and most compassionate husbands, fathers, and
- 19 citizens with the passing of Mr. Jimmy McDonald on January 27, 2006.

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 $1\quad NOW, THEREFORE, BE\,IT\,RESOLVED\,BY\,THE\,HOUSE\,OF\,REPRESENTATIVES\,that$ 

- 2 the members of this body remember and honor the life of Mr. Jimmy McDonald and express
- 3 their deepest regrets on his passing with sincerest condolences to his family.
- 4 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House is authorized and directed to
- 5 transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to the family of Mr. Jimmy McDonald.